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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant(s): Paul R. Drury et al.

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time to take action in this application.

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